
CALVIN W. PRICE.

Calvin W. Price, 76, editor and publisher of the Pocahontas Times, and one of West Virginia's most widely known newspapermen, died unexpectedly at his home in Marlinton Friday, June 14, 1957. He was born in Rockingham County, Va., a son of the late Dr. and Mrs. William T. Price. His father was a Presbyterian minister, who moved to Pocahontas County when this son was a mere lad. At the age of 15, he became an apprentice on the Pocahontas Times, and four years later a partner, and became the sole owner in 1906. Besides being one of this state's most widely known editors, an honorary doctorate was conferred on him several years ago by West Virginia University, and in recognition of his great zeal for nature, wildlife and censervation, a State Forest in Pocahontas and Greenbrier counties was named for him. Services were held Sunday in the Marlinton Presbyterian Church, conducted by his pastor, the Rev. Ernest H. Flaniken, and burial followed in Mountain View cemetery. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Mabel Milligan Price; four daughters, Mrs. John Branch Green of Richmond, Va., Mrs. Isaac McNeel of Charleston, Mrs. J. D. Hubbard of Virginia Beach, Va., and Mrs. Basil Sharp of Marlinton; a brother, Dr. Norman Price of Marlinton, and a sister, Mrs. Frank R. Hunter of Marlinton; also 10 grandchildren.